

March Of Dimes Hoop Contest Is Scheduled Here

Double Header Tuesday To Benefit Fight On Polio

The second annual March of Dimes basketball program here will be staged on the Legion court next Tuesday evening, January 25.

The first game at 7 o'clock will be between the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department and the Truckee Oilers. The latter team has been recruited among service station and garage workers by Duke Mathis of Ott's Union Station while Chief N. F. Dolley will captain the fire fighters. The second game will feature Truckee's American Legion sponsored town team against the Reno Co-Ops. All proceeds of the games will go into the fight against infantile paralysis.

Another double header will be featured on Friday night, January 21, with the local grammar school playing the Loyalton grade school and the town team tangling with the South Virginia Bar of Reno squad. The grammar school is tentatively slated to play St. James Academy of Reno here next Thursday evening and on the following Saturday, the town team takes on the First National Bank of Reno.

Truckee's town team this week ran into rough going in its tilt with visiting opponents. Last Thursday the locals missed 21 out of 27 free throw attempts and dropped a game to Daugherty's Bar by 53 to 47. On Saturday Vaughn Mills of Reno pulled ahead in the last five minutes, gaining two points per minute, to down Truckee 36 to 46.

A policy of taking all comers brought the locals up against Roys Clothiers, Reno AA league champs, here last night. While the visitors gained only two points on the score in the second half—37 to 39—that first half was a heart breaker. The Reno champs rolled up a final score of 104 to 50 to hand Truckee the worst drubbing of the season. With all this week's slow down, Truckee's hoopsters have won eight out of 12 starts for this season.

Manager John Rau says he has acquired a new player—Al Ball of Hobart Mills—who shows great promise as a forward. The team will face a lot of tough opposition in the season ahead and Rau says he will be satisfied if they can maintain their winning average.

Frank Nagle Passes Yesterday At Reno

Frank Nagle, 63, died in Reno yesterday morning after collapsing on the sidewalk. Nagle had made his home in Reno for many years following a long-time residence in Truckee.

He was believed to have suffered a stroke. Taken to a Reno hospital by police ambulance at 8 a.m., he passed away an hour later. Reports that Nagle had injured himself by falling were discredited, although an autopsy was ordered by Coroner Laurence E. Layman. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Ross-Burke Co. of Reno.

No information was available as to surviving relatives.

Sunday School Class Partied by Teacher

Mrs. William Engelhart Jr., teacher of the primary girls' at the Community Church Sunday School, was hostess to that group at her home yesterday afternoon. Fancy chocolate sundaes featured the refreshments which followed the playing of games by the girls.

Many Scratched From List of County Voters

County Clerk Ralph Deebie announced this week that 2108 Nevada County electors were purged from the voters' lists after failure to vote in one of the two principal elections of 1948. The voting records of the 11,234 registered were examined. Those who did not vote in either the primary or general election were crossed from the books and sent notices that they would have to re-register before they will be able to vote again.

Truckee Rocked Again By Earth Tremor

Truckee experienced another earthquake last night a few minutes before midnight. The shock was not heavy and did no damage although it rattled windows and dishes and awakened light sleepers. Reno and Verdi also reported no damage caused with the exception of more of the old wall at Verdi toppling.

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Dog Teams Slated To Race Sunday On Local Course

High interest is being evidenced this week in Tahoe and Truckee in the two miles race scheduled for Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. near Hill Top Lodge between the Samoyede dog teams of Harry Johanson of Tahoe and Lloyd Van Sickle of Hill Top Lodge.

Dog racing and snow sports enthusiasts from many places in the area are looking forward to witnessing the race which is to be a forerunner of similar events to be staged here during this winter season, according to Ed Crandall of the lodge.

THIS YEAR'S SNOW TOPS LAST YEAR BY 101 INCHES

Clearing skies today contradicted predictions for continuing snow storms, following two days of snow in this region. The storm laid down 10 inches more in Truckee.

The snowfall was general all through the Sierra, with snow reported even on the fringes of Sacramento Valley. At the peak of the storm, chains were required over Donner Summit and on Highway 89 from Truckee Y to Rubicon, around Lake Tahoe and from Truckee north to the Plumas County line.

Snowfall this season to date here is 101 inches over the same time last year, according to the US Forest Service station in Truckee. Last year to this date snowfall totaled 6.05 inches while this year it has reached 107.05 inches. The pack on the ground here measured 34 inches this morning.

Young Gautsche Again On March of Dimes

The first worker to take the field here in the current March of Dimes campaign was Roland Gautsche, young son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gautsche, who each year volunteers to make a house-to-house canvass of the town to secure donations from those who would not otherwise be contacted.

Each year for the past three years Roland has faithfully rapped on doors, sometimes being met with friendly, willing donors and other times having the door slammed in his face. He continues the work, however, and has earned the appreciation of the committee and the children who are aided through his efforts.

Walt Loynd Inducted As Lions Club Member

Motion pictures of fires and fire prevention were shown to members of the Lions Club last night by Forest Ranger E. E. Boehm. One new member, Walter A. Loynd of Truckee, was inducted during the evening's program. Stan Martin presided.

Lions Challenge 20-30 To Skiing Contests

Truckee 20-30'ians and their guests enjoyed dinner at Cozzi's Friday night, January 14. Following dinner Slim Maberry of Ski Inn Lodge showed films on skiing at Mt. Lassen and Wayne Philippi played several accordion numbers.

At the regular meeting Wednesday evening Frank Titus and Ed Crandall spoke on plans being made for the Sierra Nevada Dog Derby and Titus presented a challenge from the Lions Club for a ski meet with the 20-30 Club.

Dr. Keys Opens Office In North Lake Area

KINGS BEACH—Dr. John A. Keys of Truckee has opened an office in Kings Beach. He is located on the south side of the highway at Holiday Inn near Miles service station. Office hours will be from 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Saturday. Mrs. Carmel Throop is serving as his receptionist.

Dr. Keys will continue to maintain his office in Truckee in the afternoons.

Heavy Vote For School Trustees Is Forecast Fri.

Six Aspire to Five Posts On First Board Of New District

A heavy vote is forecast for trustees of the unified school district which embraces the north end of Lake Tahoe, Truckee, Floriston and the Donner Summit, Friday afternoon between 1 and 8 p.m.

Boards have been set up in each of the five districts which are Floriston, Truckee, Kings Beach, Tahoe City and Soda Springs.

Five trustees will be named and the names of six candidates will appear on the ballot. This came about when Stanley Martin of Tahoe City filed as a candidate when it was announced that Ray Fellows, also of Tahoe, had withdrawn as a candidate. Despite this reported withdrawal, Fellows' name still appears on the ballots.

Other candidates are W. A. Loynd and Eugene J. Iliardi of Truckee, William Rutherford of Donner Summit and Thomas Lucas of Kings Beach.

In the hands of the elected trustees will repose the affairs of the district. They will undoubtedly select a site for a joint high school plant, request budgets and have jurisdiction over other affairs concerning the entire district.

TRUCKEE PROJECT IN 1949 BUDGET OF GOV. WARREN

SACRAMENTO (W.N.S.)—Major highway construction projects for Nevada County outlined in Governor Earl Warren's 1949-50 budget, which has just been submitted to the state legislature, total \$113,000.

The projects are:
U.S. 40 in Truckee near east city limits, grade and surface one mile, \$56,000.

U.S. 40, Colfax to Truckee (portions), parking areas, \$35,000.
State Route 20, Squirrel Creek Bridge, grade, surface and culvert .2 miles, \$22,000.

THORNTON HURT AS CAR CRUISES BOTTOM SIDE UP

Jack H. Thornton, 21, Truckee, set a new record for peculiar driving early Sunday morning.

He inadvertently drove 300 feet on the vehicle top with all four wheels in the air. The accident happened eight miles west of Reno on Highway 40 when Thornton evidently went to sleep at the wheel of his 1940 sedan. The westbound car slammed into the end of a bridge abutment, rolled over on its top and slid the length of the bridge. Officers who investigated the wreck measured the slide at 100 yards.

Although the car was badly damaged, Thornton emerged from the mishap with only minor injuries. He was treated by Dr. L. D. Nelson of Truckee.

Ancient Bottle Shown By Bill Englehart Sr.

William Englehart Sr. brought into the Sierra Sun office a small handmade glass bottle for display which he said had contained Chinese medicine in the early days of Truckee. The small vessel was found by him years ago in the dirt across the Truckee River on the site where more than 3,000 Chinese worked and lived in the 1880's.

Summit Men Victims Of Skiing Accidents

Several minor mishaps, caused by skiing were reported this week. Larry Benton, ski instructor at Sugar Bowl, was treated for a badly sprained ankle. Richard McCoy, San Francisco, had a broken left leg. Robert Gifford of Donner Ski Ranch suffered a sprained ankle. All came to Dr. L. D. Nelson for treatment.

Sierra Sun Advertising Pays!

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

Truckee, during the past several years, has exceeded its quota on the March of Dimes drive, and as a matter of fact has led the state in per capita contributions. That was during years when the polio was a more or less rare disease in California. This past year, because of an epidemic which killed and crippled thousands, the fund for cure and research was exhausted and the need for money is more than ever necessary. This year, Truckee is expected to set a new record in donations and many have expressed a desire to assist to the limit of their ability. While this particular part of Nevada County escaped without feeling the epidemic, there were four cases in the county. Each of these cases cost hundreds and even thousands of dollars and all we can do here will be little enough. Write your check today and help Truckee again top the list of donors in the state. Remember, half of the collections are left for county use, the balance going to national research. Even the latter was given back to the state and counties during the past year and the entire fund is gone and further aid hinges upon this year's drive. Let it never be said that Truckee was lacking in this great endeavor.

A bouquet this week to the Parents and Teachers Association of Truckee for providing hot lunches for the grammar school children. The hot soup is being prepared and served to the children for a cost of only 5 cents, which hardly defrays the actual cost to say nothing of the time and effort in its preparation and serving. It is a fine work and should win the commendation of parents.

HOT SOUP PLAN AT SCHOOL HERE IS PTA PROJECT

Pupils of the Truckee Elementary School are being served hot soup each day for the small sum of five cents a cup, Mrs. Guy White announced this week.

Mrs. E. Culbertson, chairman, with the assistance of 15 mothers who are members of the Parents and Teachers Association prepare and serve the soup each day in the school building. Mrs. White said that it will facilitate planning and operation if the children who wish to have the hot nourishment will take the correct amount of money for the school week each Monday morning.

Mothers who have any questions regarding the project may contact Mrs. Culbertson or Mrs. White.

LOIS HARDY'S SECOND CHANCE NEXT MONDAY

A jury selected from a venire of 120 names will hear the second trial of Lois Hunt Hardy, 23, whose previous conviction on a charge of murdering James McLain in the woods near Hirschdale in the summer of 1947 was set aside recently by the state supreme court.

On the list of prospective jurors from Meadow Lake Township are Thomas P. Bonano, Steve Cozzi, Dick Moretta, Heslin F. Cardinal, Stanley D. Walton, Helen E. Gautsche, Harold M. Pabst, Annie Marie Collier, Ione L. Iliardi, William B. Rutherford and Ernest A. DeLisle.

At her previous trial and at that of her husband, Joe Hardy, now serving a life sentence for the same crime, jurors from this township were excused because of prior knowledge and prejudice.

Mrs. Hardy, recalled from a death sentence, will go on trial in the Nevada County superior court on Monday, January 24.

Trustees Meeting

Members of the board of trustees of the Truckee Elementary School District will hold a meeting in the school edifice at 7 p.m. on the evening of February 4. At a meeting held January 7 the matters of water and heating in the plant were discussed.

Truckee Third In Number Of Cars Entering State

Two South State Towns Rank Truckee As Entry Port

The Truckee plant quarantine station cleared a total of 862,863 highway passengers into California in 1948 to rank third among the 18 border stations. Only Blythe and Yermo in southern California ranked Truckee, Yermo chalking up 1,060,570 passengers out of a statewide total of 6,586,477.

Truckee, US Highway 40 entry point, cleared 256,319 automobiles, 20,377 trucks and 7,847 stages during 1948. Other nearby stations' totals were:

Stateline on US 50 at the south end of Lake Tahoe: 67,111 cars; 1,299 trucks; 407 stages; and 182,978 passengers.

Brookway on north end of Lake Tahoe: 10,022 cars; 245 stages and 28,125 passengers. This station operated only from May 3 to October 31.

Peavine on US 395: 143,088 cars; 13,747 trucks; 2393 stages and 398,326 passengers.

July and August proved the most popular months with motorists entering California, the bureau of plant quarantine of the state department of agriculture reports. Statewide tallies for the whole year showed 2,051,581 cars; 189,575 trucks; 46,208 stages and 6,586,477 passengers.

TRUCKEE TOPS AS DONOR TO MARCH OF DIMES

"Truckee should be proud of its record in the fight against polio," points out County Chairman Elmer Stevens, "for among northern California communities in proportion to its size it led all and expects to go even further this year."

While Truckee has its own program for the March of Dimes, Stevens explained the direct mail campaign which did not emanate from Nevada County chapter but from state headquarters who feel they want to help Nevada County as one of the distressed counties this year. Four serious cases were hospitalized out of Nevada County one of them fatal.

While Nevada County raised \$3800, half of which went to the National Foundation, last year it was forced to request twice emergency funds from the foundation. Hence the special help in direct mail.

All contributions sent to Chapter Treasurer Matt DePauli in Grass Valley from Truckee or the vicinity will be credited to the Truckee drive.

Pythian Dinner Set Before Installations

A dinner will be held prior to the joint installation of the local Pythian lodges in Truckee on Friday, January 29, according to Charles R. Heller, secretary of Summit Lodge 54, Knights of Pythias. The dinner will begin promptly at 7 p.m. at Cozzi's Cafe so the installation may begin at 8 o'clock in the lodge room.

Tickets for the dinner are on sale at Heller's Variety until Wednesday morning, January 26, at which time reservations will be closed. The installation and dinner is open to members of either the Knights or Summit Temple 79, Pythian Sisters, and their guests.

Pair Are Fined Under Anti-Slot Machine Law

Frank Laurence and Eva Duhning, operators of the Skyline Lodge near Yuba Pass on Highway 40, paid fines of \$100 each before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little Monday after being found guilty of violating a county ordinance prohibiting the possession of a slot machine.

The two were cited to appear by Constable N. F. Dolley and Deputy Sheriff Fostner Wilson upon instructions from Sheriff Richard Hoskins. All resorts in the area were visited by the officers in the search for machines.

Postal Receipts In Truckee Continue To Record Gains

Postmaster Elizabeth C. Bavier of Truckee revealed this week that business at the local post office showed a substantial increase for 1948 over 1947, following a summary of stamp sales, box rents and money orders issued.

Last year \$13,474.53 was taken in from box rents and the sale of stamps, compared to \$12,735.40 for 1947, an increase of \$939.13. There was a total of \$188,755.81 derived from the sale of money orders at the post office here in 1948, as against \$187,770.75 for the year before, an increase of \$985.06.

MRS. JOHN RABLIN IS DISASTER HEAD FOR RED CROSS

Rev. Oscar Swenson presided at a Red Cross meeting held in the home of the Walter Loynds on Tuesday evening when Mrs. John Rablin was named disaster chairman. Chairman of first aid is Roy Waters and Mrs. Robert Leamon, publicity. Mrs. N. F. Dolley was appointed as fund chairman and will head the drive which will begin on March 1. Mrs. Dolley will contact workers who will solicit the town and vicinity in the annual drive.

A public Red Cross meeting will be held on Monday evening, February 14, in the grammar school and all persons interested in the formation and functioning of the local unit are urged to be present.

Maine Fire Films Are Shown At Legion

The full horror of the big Maine forest fires of last summer was viewed by members of Truckee Post 439, American Legion, when they met Tuesday night. Full color movies of the holocaust were shown by Will Curran, US forest service officer. During the business session presided over by Commander Frank Giovannoni, discussions of basketball, Boy Scouts and dog derbies occupied the floor.

After the meeting, chili beans and other refreshments were served by the committee.

Capital Driver Cited Following Accident

Jack E. Roetman, 28, Sacramento, was cited by State Patrolman William Gautsche Tuesday at 7 o'clock after a car he was driving got out of control and crashed into a guard rail east of Hirschdale. He was cited for reckless driving and will appear before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little.

PTA Founders Day Slated Next Month

Plans are being formed for the annual Founders Day program of the Parents and Teachers Association to be held here, tentatively on the evening of Friday, February 4, according to Mrs. Guy White.

Vets Advisor Is Due Here on January 28

Veterans in the Truckee and neighboring areas will be able to secure assistance pertaining to Veterans Administration benefits on Friday, January 28. A contact representative of the VA office at Reno will be at the Truckee Public Utility District office on that date between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

WEATHER RECORD

Courtesy U. S. Forest Service - Truckee District
TEMPERATURE THIS WEEK: High 33; Low minus 9
1948 Figures Computed from September 1, 1947
1949 Figures Computed from September 1, 1948

PRECIPITATION IN INCHES		Total this week, 1949		1949 total to date	
Total 1948 to date	8.96	Total for 1948	25.79	Total this week, 1949	.97
Total 1948 to date		Total 1949 to date		Total on ground	
6.05		107.05		34	

Dog Derby Plan Made At Meet Of Committee

March 5-6 Named Likely Dates by Outing Clubbers

March 5 and 6 will probably be big days for winter sports enthusiasts in this area.

Those were the dates tentatively fixed Tuesday night by the Truckee Outing Club's Dog Derby committee to stage a series of dog races near the Hill Top Lodge south of here.

The committee, headed by Ed Crandall of Hill Top Lodge, is composed of the following officers and directors: R. N. Little, vice president; H. H. Hodson, secretary; Ray Scott, treasurer; N. F. Dolley, I. Firpo, Lloyd Van Sickle, Lewis Price and Charles Cozzi, directors.

A total of more than \$2000 has been pledged by local businessmen and another \$1000 is expected to carry on the program which will include awards to the winning teams in the two-day events, advertising and miscellaneous costs. It was at first hoped that this amount could be stretched through donations from a Reno gambling concern but a visit by the committee to Reno found this to be an unfounded hope.

Tentatively tickets for the race, which will be held in a circular area on the Brookway road, will be sold for \$1 and 50 cents for children. This will assist in defraying the expense and may even build up a fund for next year's derby which is now being contemplated.

The Truckee band will be contacted to provide music and concessions and added program features are expected to make the two-day show a big one and hopes are that it will attract a large attendance.

The Southern Pacific Company has been contacted and will provide some advertising and arrange for excursions if desired.

Invitations will be sent to the governors of California and Nevada to attend the opening of the events.

The Truckee Chamber of Commerce and other civic and fraternal organizations have been or will be contacted and concerted aid asked to put the affair over in a big way.

Teams will include only North American thoroughbreds under present plans and details of the races, awards and other information are being sent team owners immediately. It is believed that at least eight and possibly 10 teams will respond to the invitations. A sum of expenses for the teams has been budgeted not to exceed \$1000.

The Outing Club, headed by Roy Waters, voted to sponsor the affair at its meeting last Thursday and appointed the members of the committee to handle the arrangements, collect the necessary fund and arrange the program.

Advertising material is being prepared and it is indicated that while the money pledged will provide the show as planned, additional funds may be raised through concessions.

The committee plans regular meetings until the program is finally in order and suggestions are always welcomed.

Local Girl Is Pledged To Man From Fallon

Mr. and Mrs. G. Gini have announced the engagement of Mrs. Gini's daughter, Miss Yolanda Giovannoni, to Charles Olono of Fallon, Nevada. The wedding plans of the young couple have not been revealed.

The bride-elect is well known here where she graduated from local school. She is now employed by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company at the Truckee exchange.

Digits Battered by Fan While Working on Hill

H. O. Hock of Donner Summit was brought to Truckee Monday afternoon for medical treatment after he had received severe injury to the first two fingers of his left hand. The members were hurt while Hock was working on a truck and his hand slipped into the sharp fan.



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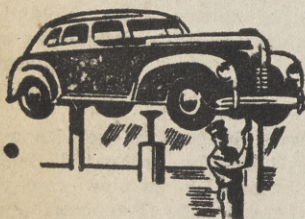
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EIGHT TO GRADUATE FROM TAHOE BRANCH HIGH

AUBURN—Eight pupils are scheduled to graduate from the Tahoe branch of Placer Union High School at exercises here in June. This will be the last group from the lake branch to graduate from Placer. That district has been consolidated in a new union school district embracing the far eastern portions of Nevada and Placer County.

Those listed for commencement by Mrs. Bliss McG. Hinkle, principal of the branch, are Carolyn Lois Bolton, Jeanne Avonne Bolton, Robert Lee French, Irene M. Gallen, Glenn Ray Jackson, Albert Lucille Pollitt, Denis A. Sach-Campbell and Terry Gene Tollefson.

LOAN PASSED FOR SCHOOL AT ZEPHYR COVE ON LAKE

CARSON CITY—The Nevada board of finance this week approved a \$5800 emergency loan application for the trustees of the Tahoe school district at Zephyr Cove. The money is to be used to purchase and maintain a station wagon to be used to transport children to the school. The money will also be used to purchase desks and school equipment.

TAHOE WOMAN TO AID IN WINTER SPORT SURVEY

TAHOE CITY—Mrs. Marie Henry of Tahoe City is aiding in the distribution of the latest questionnaires seeking information pertinent to a complete study of winter sports activities. These cards will be mailed and distributed to the public with the request that the questions be answered accurately and promptly.

Among questions asked are how far persons have traveled by rail bus and auto; how many to a car are group; how many trips per season and length of stay; cost of trip; cost of meals and lodging en route; amount spent on toys, instruction, dry cleaning, etc.; how many of party rented equipment and clothing.

The questionnaire is sponsored by the winter sports committee of the state chamber of commerce. Bus drivers, hotels and resorts are being asked to co-

operate in gathering information relative to their interests.

A traffic count is also to be taken in various districts of the lake. The tally at the Tahoe Wye was on Jan. 16-17 and again on Jan. 30-31 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. West on Nevada highway 37D, south on Nevada highway 38C and east on Nevada highway 37D, the count will be taken on Feb. 13-14, 27-28, March 13-14, 27-28 and April 17-18.

WHOLE WEEK BELOW FREEZING AT TAHOE

TAHOE CITY—The level of Lake Tahoe Monday stood at 6224.45 with 195 CSF of water leaving the gates in town. Snow on the ground at Tahoe City measured 30 inches and precipitation for the week was negligible. Coldest day of the week was on the 10th with 2 below zero and warmest was the 11th with 31, one degree below freezing.

LAKE TAHOE SKI CLUB PREPARES FOR MEET

TAHOE CITY—The Lake Tahoe Ski Club met in community hall Friday night with President Bill Becholdt in charge.

Plans are being made for the club's state championship ski jumping meet at Olympic Hill on February 26-27. Class A, B, C and D jumping will be held as well as the E or novice jumping event. The latter is for boys of the Tahoe area only and youngsters 12 and under are eligible. Top award in the latter event will be the James D. Baker trophy which has been given the past two years to encourage the youngsters of the community in skiing events. Lewis Fellows of Carnelian Bay was the winner of last year's event.

The open jumping championship will also be inaugurated in which professionals, out-of-state and international jumpers will be eligible to compete.

Walter Mandeville is tournament director and Kjell Rustad is chief of the hill.

FIRE DEPARTMENT PARTY IS DRAWING CARD

TAHOE CITY—A good attendance is expected at the bingo party being staged by members

of the Tahoe City volunteer fire department on Thursday evening, January 20 in Tahoe community hall. Money realized will go toward purchase of needed fire equipment. Chief Al Henry Jr. announces several movies will be shown following the games. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

ALL-TAHOE TEAM TO SKI FOR STATE AT SUN VALLEY

TAHOE CITY—Big news at Tahoe this week is the trip to Sun Valley, Idaho, by five local boys to attend the Jeffers Cup races there January 21-23. Carl Becholdt Jr. was asked by President Schwarzenbach of the California Ski Association to appoint a four-man team to compete for California. Becholdt contacted ski clubs as far south as Los Angeles without finding a man to place on the team, finally naming four from the Lake Tahoe Ski Club—Bob Stark, James Baker, Terry Tollefson and Oliver Henrikson—to make up the team.

As far as is known, the Lake Tahoe Ski Club will pay the expenses of the team as well as those of Dick Carnell who drove the quartet to Sun Valley. Courtland Hill, president of the Far West Ski Association at Los Angeles advises he would try to find means to help defray the team's expense. The group left Tahoe around 8 p.m. Sunday night. The local boys will compete against Olympic team members.

On Saturday Jack and Kay Starratt left for Sun Valley tak-

ing with them as passengers Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fellows of Carnelian Bay, their son Lewis and Miss Betty Lee. They reported Monday that the roads were in fair shape when they made the trip.

OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY AT NEW SKIING GROUNDS

TAHOE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Kjell Rustad announced this week they are holding open house on Saturday evening, January 22, at their new ski school Granlibakken near Olympic Hill in Ski Canyon. The ski hut is completed and the fireplace installed.

The public is invited to attend and a buffet supper will be served around 5 p.m. Dancing will follow the skiing and eating in the club house. Transportation is available by jeep on the hour at the entrance to Tahoe Tavern on

Highway 89.

Six 150 watt flood lights have been erected on the hill for night skiing and crowds have been lingering past midnight to enjoy the novelty.

BACK FROM CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Shontz and daughter Jayne and Randy Pomin enjoyed the a recent weekend at Lodi where they visited the D. M. Brodehis who recently returned from a visit with relatives in Canada.

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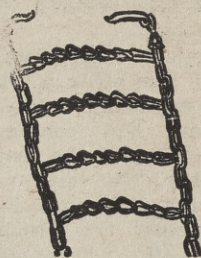


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Thomas F. LaRocca, Truckee, California

Rose M. LaRocca, Truckee, California

WITNESS our hands this 5th day of January, 1949.

THOMAS F. LARocca

ROSE M. LARocca

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

County of Nevada ss.

On this 5th day of January, A. D. 1949, before me, R. A. Scott, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, residing there in, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Thomas F. LaRocca and Rose M. LaRocca, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same. IN WITNESS

WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official the day and year in this certificate first above written. (SEAL.)

R. A. SCOTT, Notary Public in and for said County and State. My Commission Expires February 26, 1951.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the newly formed Joint Unified School District comprising Tahoe Lake Elementary, Kings Beach Elementary, Donner Trail Elementary, and a portion of Placer Union High School & Placer College Districts in Placer County; and the Truckee Elementary, Floriston Elementary, and Meadow Lake High School Districts in Nevada County. That a special election for members of the Board of Trustees of the above described newly formed district will be held on Friday, January 21, 1949. It will be necessary to elect five members. Polling places will be Donner Trail Joint Elementary Schoolhouse in the Donner Trail Joint Elementary District; Tahoe Lake Elementary Schoolhouse in the Tahoe Lake Elementary and in a portion of the Placer Union High School and Placer College Districts; Kings Beach Elementary Schoolhouse in the Kings Beach Elementary School District and in a portion of the Placer Union High School and Placer College Districts; Truckee Elementary Schoolhouse in the Truckee Elementary School District and Meadow Lake High School District; and Floriston Elementary Schoolhouse in the Floriston Elementary District and Meadow Lake High School District.

Polls will be open between the hours of 1:00 o'clock p.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Signed: ALBERT F. BEQUETTE
Superintendent of Schools
Placer County

WALTER A. CARLSON
Superintendent of Schools
Nevada County

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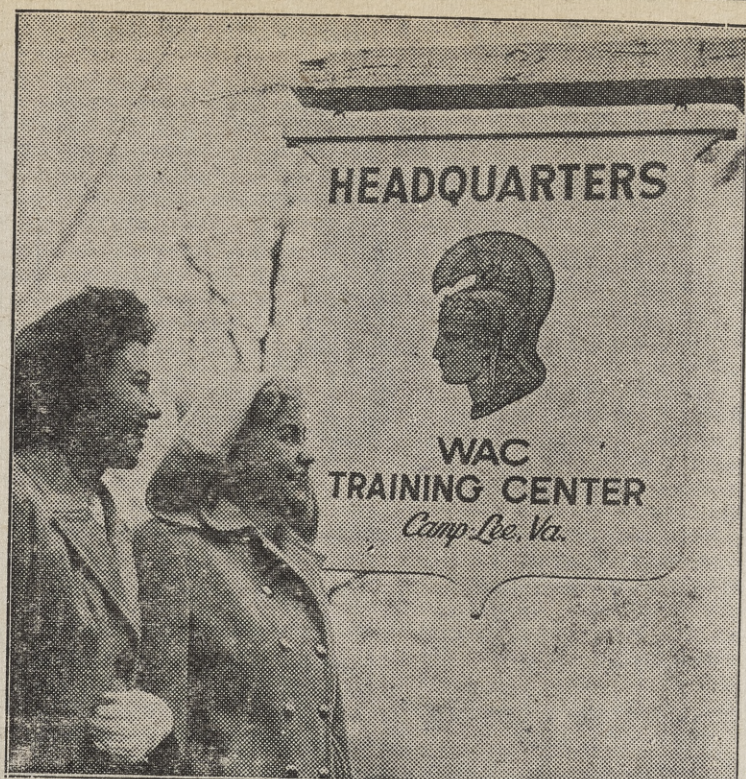
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EVERYBODY HAS FUN AT BIG SPAGHETTI DINNER

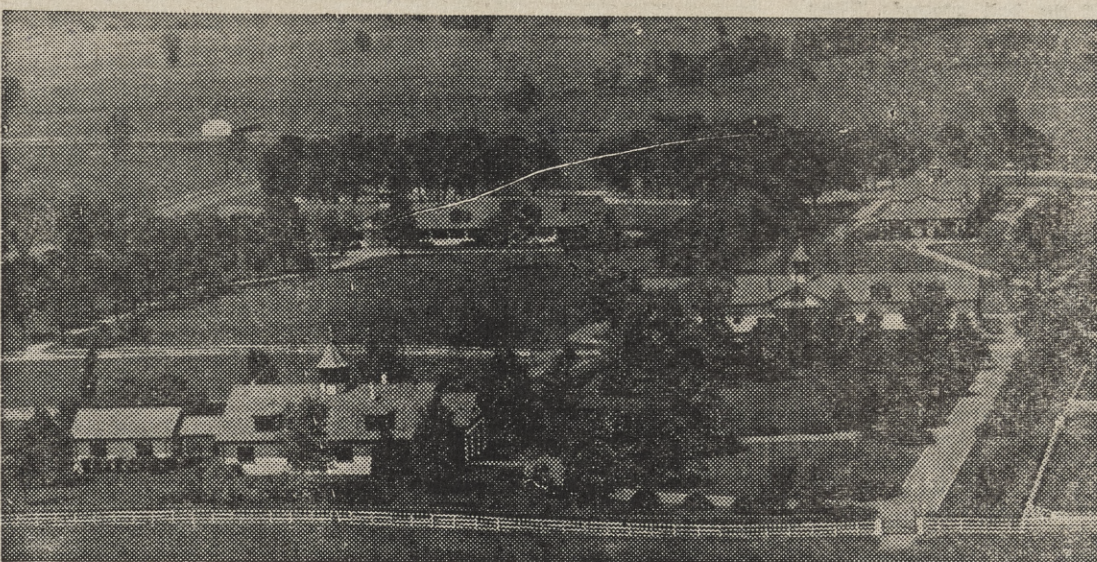
KINGS BEACH—All of North Tahoe and a few out of town guests had a grand time at the big spaghetti dinner given by the North Tahoe Sports Club at the Carpenters Hall last on Saturday night. Tables set the full length of the hall filled rapidly and still guests crowded in. The committee preparing the dinner ran out of spaghetti twice during the evening. As fast as one group could be fed another was waiting to take its place at the tables. And coffee—they thought they never would get all of those waiting cups filled. For over two hours plates were filled and carried into tables as rapidly as spaghetti could be dished up. We never saw so many hungry people in one place at the same time but every one had fun and all enjoyed the good dinner.

After tables were cleared away, Constable Harry Johanson de-



TRAINING FOR REGULAR ARMY WACS—Recruits Susie Titus, Coolidge, Arizona, (left) and Jeannine Fowler, Lexington, Oklahoma, report to WAC training center, Camp Lee, Virginia, for basic training. They will enroll for eight weeks of instruction.

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SIXTY FIVE IN COUNTY ASK FOR AGED AID

SACRAMENTO —(W. N. S.)—Applications for old age security pensions in Nevada County from January 1 to 15 totaled 65, Myrtle Williams, director of social welfare, announced this week.

Applications for all California as compiled from telegraphic reports received by the department from county welfare departments showed a total of 24,476 up to January 15, with 5,572 filed the first week of the year and 9,544 the following week.

Los Angeles County topped all other counties with 10,063 applications for the 15 days as compared to 1,987 from Alameda County, nearest competitor.

No applications were received from Alpine County, one from Mono, 11 from Sierra and 12 from Inyo, department records show.

The applications were the first under Proposition No. 4.

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local men. The plan, if carried out as now intended, would service the entire lake daily, bringing freight and express from Reno via Truckee and returning by way of Carson City.

Committees are also working on plans for two snow carnivals to be held at the lake this winter. The first will take place on February 19 at North Tahoe. Local ski clubs and clubs of all surrounding areas will be invited to choose their candidates for Queen of the Carnival. As one

highlight of the entertainment the committee hopes to arrange for a snow contest between co-eds of the Universities of Nevada and California. The friendly conflict would take place over the state line at Cal-Neva. The day's festivities will culminate at Cal-Neva Lodge which will be opened for the occasion by Sanford D. Adler of Adler Inc., owners of the lodge. The Snow Queen selected from candidates presented by the different clubs will reign over the ball which will continue far into the night. Cal-Neva has promised to bring up one of their floor shows to help in the evening's entertainment. It all promises to be one of the biggest winter events the lake has ever seen.

CONDUCT CLOUD STUDY ALONG HIGHWAY FORTY

"Phase 3 of the Clouds Physics Project," which is sponsored by the armed forces would probably be called "Operation Clouds" is localized in Colfax, Placer County and includes a study of cloud structure and precipitation from that community to Boca, Nevada County.

The area largely covers the route of Highway 40 through Placer and Nevada Counties.

Dan T. Williams is in charge of the Colfax station. However C. O. Sclack is the executive officer of the project. He is now at his home at Washington, D.C. but he spends about half his time in

the field. Dr. Ross Gunn, head of the division of physical research, U. S. Weather Bureau, heads the entire project.

Original experiments were carried out a year ago at Wilmington, Ohio.

In Ohio, the Weather Bureau used dry ice, dropped from aircraft into cloud banks. In the Placer and Nevada County tests entirely new methods are being tried, employing chemicals, the operations being conducted entirely from the ground.

Mr. Williams said: "The equipment to be used includes a rawinsonde station located at the Auburn airport. This station releases weather balloons with attached radio transmitters, which send back signals from which air temperature, pressure and humidity can be computed for the atmosphere over this area. The balloon is also followed with an electronic tracking device which permits a computation of speed and direction of wind up to levels of 50,000 feet.

"Gauges to measure amounts of rainfall and snowfall are located along U.S. Highway 40 from Auburn to Boca, Nevada County. In all, about 20 gauges are spaced at five-mile intervals along the highway. These instruments will measure precisely the amounts of rainfall and snowfall so that any artificially produced precipitation may be detected."

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North Tahoe

by DOT O'BRIEN
Phone Brockway 99

Folks at the north end of the lake are finally taking our unusually cold weather in their stride and settling down to enjoying the winter's events and social activities. We only hope that all the pipes that have had it in mind to break have done so and that we can continue to keep plenty of fuel in the old cabin. And from now on when asked we won't be able to say that Tahoe never freezes. When children are able to skate out as far as the ends of the piers, that is news.

Skating on the lake may not be too safe so when H. O. Comstock offered to supply the water needed to flood a pond on the golf course, President Ernie Crawford of the North Tahoe Sports Club, with the assistance of Dick Lavery, went into action

and collected \$42 from residents of the community to pay for clearing off an area in the vicinity of the ball grounds. They plan to make the pond at least 200 feet long which should not only interest the children but perhaps some of the grown-ups as well. Cheer up, kiddies, you won't have to ruin those new skates on rough icy roads any more.

Saturday night, January 22, we are having more fun. A big March of Dimes Dance will be held at Carpenters Hall. Good music and everyone invited so let's all show up and enjoy another good time.

Mae Meisenheimer has had a recent letter from the Sanders of Tahoe Ice Co. Alice says that Orle is putting in his time this winter delivering fuel in Sacramento.

Mae also had a card from Doc and Barbara Hageman. They say

PUNCH OUT POLIO



Governor Earl Warren, State Chairman of the March of Dimes, opens the campaign in the fight against infantile paralysis by greeting George Mandich, 18, (left) former Roseville High and Placer Junior College football star, and Warren Danhouse, 12, Sacramento, (right). California had nearly 5,000 more cases of the dread disease in 1948 than in 1947. Young Danhouse is improving due to treatment furnished by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis through funds raised in the March of Dimes drive, while Mandich, still confined to a wheel chair, is able to move one of his legs.

that Guam may be all right for some people but they are home sick for good old Lake Tahoe.

The transaction of the year has just taken place here at Kings Beach. That modern, new green 1935 Ford pickup whose last owner was Mulford Miles has changed hands once more which makes at least five consecutive owners over a three year period. But don't worry, it's staying right in Kings Beach. Don Barkhurst graciously turned over in exchange his beautiful brown 1936 4 door sedan deluxe complete with trunk attached. He's sorry the key is missing. Mulford says that he has wanted to own a Dodge ever since 1918 when his dad bought a Model T Ford instead. Now he's finally made it. Both automobiles were marvelous bargains, the Dodge having proved its dependability over the years. And all agree that the best feature about the little green truck is it's delightful change of moods. One never knows where it will decide to stop next. Which all makes travel very interesting. After checking with the Blue Book both Mulford and Don are

still trying to figure out which made the best of the bargain. Florence Miles celebrated her birthday with dinner for the Ike Miles. Granny made the birthday cake herself so we know it was good.

Jim Astle's skis got away with him last Sunday while enjoying the fun at Olympic Hill. Result: one sprained ankle. It's not too serious and Jim will probably be skiing again in a few days.

The Mothers Club will meet at the Kings Beach school house on the evening of January 27. Purpose of the meeting will be the annual election of officers and collection of the annual dues.

The Tahoe Rotary Club was honored at their regular meeting last Wednesday by a visit from their district governor, Link Peckinpaugh of Quincy. Addressing the group present, he spoke on the subject of Fellowship.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope who were married at Carson City on January 3 are making their temporary home in San Francisco. Mrs. Pope is the former Eya Lynn Magill of the bay city and Pope, who is well known in this

Church Notices

Truckee Community Church
Rev. Oscar H. Swenson
Church School 10 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Catechism, Wednesdays 3:30 p.m.
Young Peoples Club and Choir
Thursdays 7 p.m.

The Truckee Group of
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meets each Sunday at 11 a. m.
at the Wyethia Club hall. Everyone is invited.

Catholic Services
Father J. Boland, Pastor
Beacon Hill Lodge at Soda Springs, 8 a.m.
Assumption Church at Truckee, 9:30 a.m.

Tahoe City, 11:30 a.m.
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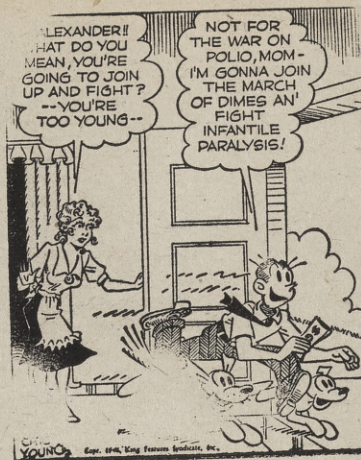
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CONFERENCE TALKS OVER NORTH LAKE SCHOOL JOB

KINGS BEACH—Mulford Miles, local grammar school trustee, met with Superintendent of Schools Al Bequette of Auburn,

Reno architects and Jack Wolert, Truckee building contractor, on Tuesday afternoon to discuss the completion of the building contract for the school which has been under construction during the past year.

The lighting system was checked with the light meter and found to be in satisfactory condition. The linoleum tile is being laid and the furnace completed this week. It has been pointed out that only authorized people are to be allowed to make any necessary adjustment of the furnace in order to keep it in good running order.

The paving of the school grounds is in the original contract but because of weather conditions will not be completed until spring and complete plans for a proper playground will be received from the Sacramento office of education. The furnishing of the kitchen and the matter of visual education will be held over until a later date.

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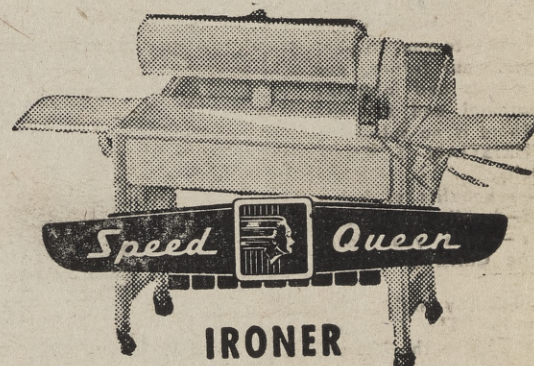


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Tahoe Letter

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Tahoe, January 17, 1949
Dear Tahoeites:
Monday again and still cold even though the sun shines. I learned this morning from Mrs. W. A. Simmonds, whose husband takes the weather readings each day, that Tahoe has experienced the longest continuous siege of east wind during the past ten days that has been seen here for 22 years. The Simmonds' house is right on the lakeshore and Mrs. Simmonds declares that even during the day with all heaters and stoves going, several of their water pipes froze. Simmonds' instruments on the end of the pier and the gauge froze and the power company had to come over and thaw them out for him. Mrs. Simmonds remembers a low during a winter a number of years

ago of 14 degrees below zero but it has been a long time since Tahoe has had 6 below, the lowest recording for the present winter season. Water pipes all over town have frozen and Tahoe's plumbers have not been idle. Our warmest day for the past week was 31 degrees—one degree below freezing.
The week's mail brought several interesting missives. One from the vacationing Bert Watsons who are on their merry way to China, Japan and way places. Janet wrote from Honolulu just before their steamer docked. She said the passengers were proving a jolly lot and were having a wonderful time. The trip over was very rough and the sea was still choppy. Many of the passengers and some of the crew were sea sick but Janet was doing all right, a better sailor than she expected. Their next stop was to be Manila.

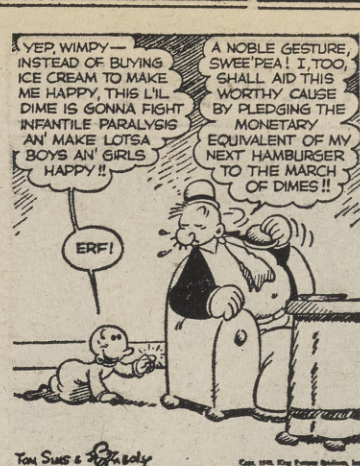
Had a nice letter from Charles Ambrosch, father of Harold Ambrosch, for many years a summer resident at Meeks Bay Resort. Dad Ambrosch wrote to give us the latest on southern California. He confirmed all newspaper reports of the snow and cold and said the flower gardens were all ruined as well as truck gardens. The residents in the south can never remember such a freeze. Dad visits his son's home each weekend and says he greatly enjoys reading the news in the Sierra Sun as he knows so many Tahoe folks, having run a grocery at Tahoma for several seasons. They send along their best wishes to their many friends here.

Bernie Bechdolt and little daughter are now in Pasadena where she is helping her sister, Pat O'Laughlin, getting ready for her coming wedding to Victor Marsh on January 29. The ceremony will be in St. Elizabeth's Church in Pasadena and Bernie will be the matron of honor. Their brother Tom O'Laughlin will be one of the ushers. Marsh formerly attended Muir College in the south and was a member of the Coast Guard during the recent war. He is a member of the Pasadena Fire Department. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bechdolt Sr. will leave within a day or two and be on hand for the big event and Bill Bechdolt, manager of Tahoe Inn, will fly down if he is not too busy at the hotel. Pat is well known at Tahoe as she has

summered here for many years past. Heartiest congratulations are cordially extended.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Main left Tuesday morning in their beautiful new Buick sedan for an extended holiday. They plan to spend a little time in Tucson, Arizona, before journeying on to the Bahamas where Mrs. Main hopes to disperse in the tropical sun every trace of the illness which has kept her confined to bed for the past five weeks. She was feeling much improved on Monday.

Friend husband had a nice long newsy letter from his daughter Mrs. Bert Blair of Wichita, Kansas. She and her family read the Sierra Sun each week and enjoy hearing news of the west. She told of a tornado which struck Kansas and Arkansas recently killing more than 65 persons and leveling everything in its path. She said they used to come only in the spring and summer and one in the winter is unheard of so California is not the only place where the weather is becoming most unusual.

The Henrikson brothers Charles and Oliver this week announce they have been granted a general engineering license. They plan to erect a new warehouse on their property on the Truckee River near Devils' Slide this spring which will be approximately 40 by 30 feet to store building materials. Space for the building was excavated last fall.



FLORISTON
by CLARA FELESINA
FLORISTON— Mrs. Manuel Gonzales has returned home from Washoe General Hospital in Reno. Mr. and Mrs. Gonzales are the proud parents of a baby girl born on January 6.
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rosendahl entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Northrup and son Jackie of Hawthorne, Nevada, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Connors and daughter Sandra at dinner at the Rosendahl home Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Connors are moving to Reno.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie French are moving to Truckee where he has taken employment.

LONGS FOR SNOW
Mrs. W. L. Griswold (nee Pat Henry of Tahoe) writes they are moving from Greenfield, Mass., to Middletown, R.I. "Wish we had some of your snow as we've had our skis primed since the middle of December," she says. "The grass is still green in Newport (Jan. 13) but we have hopes."

Will ring off for the week and wish you all good luck, good health and happy landings. As ever, Swanee.

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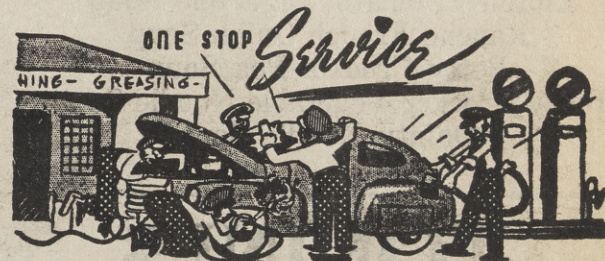
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In 1883, the most popular man on the campus of England's famous Cambridge University was a handsome six-footer with the rather ordinary name of Charley Smith. But, there was nothing ordinary about Charley or his family.

His father was one of the most prominent surgeons in England, a leader in his profession, a well-known scientist. Dr. Smith had been educated at that old English Public School, Charterhouse, and at Cambridge. His son's education was the same, and it was naturally expected that Charley Smith would follow in his father's footsteps, and become a great surgeon, too.

But, Dr. Smith was in for a bitter disappointment. His son was not interested in a medical career. In fact, it was very far from his thoughts at Cambridge. His strong features and commanding figure were seen very rarely in the classroom or the laboratory, because Charley Smith had other interests in life.

Most of his time was spent on the cricket fields. He was the star of the Cambridge for four years, and its captain for two. He led his squad to victories over the best clubs in England, and achieved as much fame as an All-American fullback would today.

Charley Smith was a happy young man, but his father wasn't. Dr. Smith came down to see him one day, and the youngster, coming back from a practice session, found his father waiting impatiently for him in his rooms. Dr. Smith frowned heavily at the sight of his son's sweaty face and dirt-stained clothes.

"When," he asked, "are you going to give up that nonsense, and settle down and become a doctor?"

"I'm not going to give up cricket, Dad, if that's what you mean," replied Charley.

"You can't do both," stormed Dr. Smith. "It's one or the other."

"Then I'll take cricket," said Charley. "I'm just not cut out to be a doctor."

Dr. Smith left Cambridge that night a very disappointed man. His son graduated, but kept on playing on amateur teams. He got a job on the London Stock Exchange, but never allowed his business to interfere with his cricket. He toured South Africa and Australia with championship teams, and became an internationally famous athlete.

But, it didn't help him with the stock exchange. His business failed, and Charley Smith migrated to the United States, still unreconciled with his family. Charley Smith was a success in this country, but never gave up his first love—cricket.

At the age of 80, he claimed the title of champion cricketer of Southern California, where he organized and coached several teams. In that same year, he was made a Knight by King George the Sixth—but not for his cricket playing....

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From Oakland—
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On Business—
Mrs. I. Firpo of Cabona's was a San Francisco business visitor this week.

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See Vanities—
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leamon and children Barry and Marcy and Jim Leamon saw the roller skating show in Sacramento last Saturday.
Back in Truckee—
Mrs. Hazel Lewis, who has been ill in Nevada City, was greeting friends here last weekend, apparently much improved in health.

That They May Walk



The therapeutic facilities of the Corona, Calif., Naval Hospital were made available to victims of the 1948 polio epidemic in Los Angeles County after the contagious stage was passed at the County General Hospital where patients were first ordered for treatment. Photo shows Navy hospital corpsman aiding a patient at Corona Hospital to walk all over again.
(Official Navy Photograph)

Rotary Club Seats Two New Members Monday

Earl Newbern was program chairman for the Truckee Rotary Club meeting at Donner Lake Lodge Monday evening when Will Curran showed a US forest service moving picture depicting fire hazard and fire prevention in the forests. Ernest Tschopp presided at the meeting which welcomed as visiting Rotarians Ted Schlueter and Ernie Pomin of Lake Tahoe. Visitors were Ed Crandall and Lloyd Van Sickle of Truckee and Robert Pomin of Tahoe.

Two new members inducted into the club were Dr. L. D. Nelson of Truckee and Virgil Jones, resort owner of Soda Springs.

Heller Back—

Charles Heller of Heller's Variety has returned from a brief visit San Francisco and Marin County.

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VERDI HIGHWAY PROJECTS
CARSON CITY— The Nevada state highway budget for 1949 includes two major projects between Truckee and Reno on US Highway 40, according to W. T. Holcomb, state highway engineer.

One calls for realignment, grading, bridging and plant mix surfacing of .7 of a mile through Verdi at an estimated cost of \$250,340. The second extends from Verdi westward to the state line and includes reconstruction, widening and surfacing of 3.65 miles at an estimated cost of \$250,000.

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Van Sickle Featured In Salt Lake Paper

The Salt Lake Tribune recently devoted a full-page illustrated article to Lloyd Van Sickle, Truckee.

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JOHN A. RICHARDS, Truckee, California.

WITNESS our hands this 14th day of January, 1949.

JACK ROSE
JOHN A. RICHARDS

kee dog team operator, and his team of Samoyedes. The article entitled Love Me, Love My Dog, gave a full account of Van Sickle and the beautiful dogs and gained widespread distribution.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

County of Nevada ss

On this 14th day of January, 1949, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JACK ROSE and JOHN A. RICHARDS, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

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Tuesday, Wednesday, January 25-26
MEET ME AT DAWN

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MY PLACE in the SUN



Ladies! Don't overlook the big croquet contest being featured at Heller's Variety.....After my Full House Club round up last week I find I overlooked the Bob Fowlers (3 girls) and the H. A. Hagstroms (4 boys).....Roy Tong bouncing a buck into the March of Dimes can at the drug store.....Often wonder how the Sierra Pacific boys can be so lively evenings after a shift on the windward side of those cold poles twist here and Reno.....Among our local "landmarks" is Jake Stuart's black leather cap.....Ernie DeLisle trying to figure a way to make heart shaped hot cakes for Goodfellows breakfasts.....Frank (The Vagabond) Kinne, Dick Joseph and Father Jerry Boland holding a sidewalk forum in front of the post office.....Charlie Heller awfully glad to get home after a wet and lonely trip to the bay area.....Bob Johnston and Herb Mattheus discussing flea powders and pets.....Young George Gregory feeling ambitious and shoveling snow along the main sidewalk.....There's sure a lot of loose material around for a mongrel dog derby.....Just a thought to file and forget.

TRANS SUMMIT RIDING TRAILS BEING SOUGHT

SACRAMENTO — (W. N. S.)— A bill that would bring the old Overland Trail of the 49'ers over Donner Summit into the state park system was introduced into the legislature by Assemblyman Francis C. Lindsay of Loomis.

Lindsay said that the proposed bill includes riding and hiking trails from Chicago Park, Nevada County, to Donner State Park. All trails in the area would be maintained and improved as part of the state park system of riding and hiking trails.

State Senator Harold Johnson of Roseville has introduced a similar bill in the upper house.

Capitol Vacation—

Mrs. John Moro left this week for Sacramento where she will enjoy a vacation for at least two weeks.



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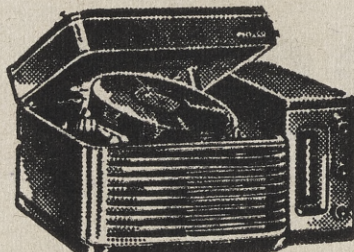
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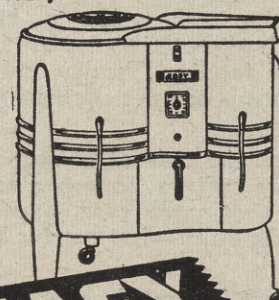
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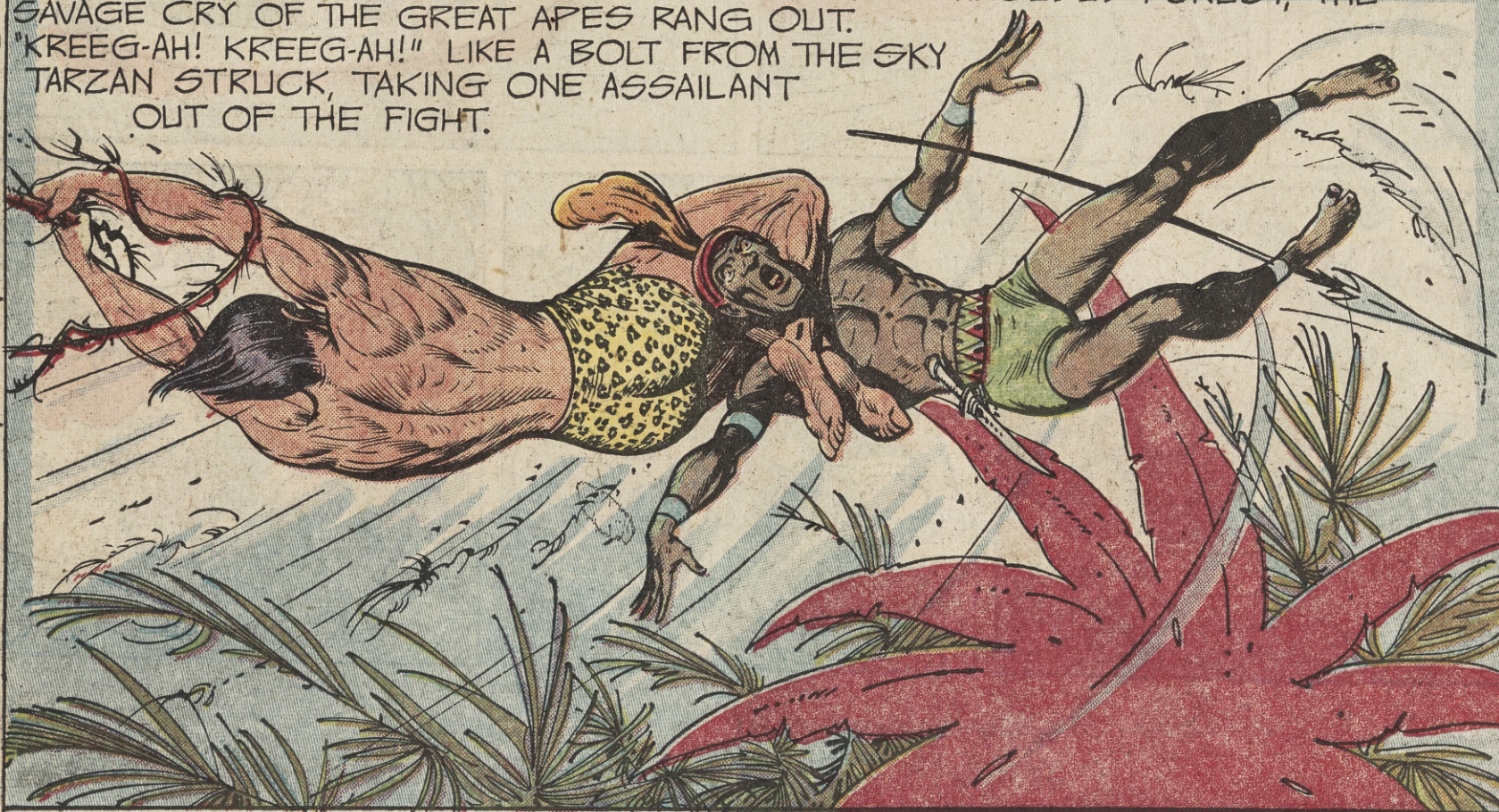
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Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS



SUDDENLY SHATTERING THE SILENCE OF THE NIGHT-SHROUDED FOREST, THE SAVAGE CRY OF THE GREAT APES RANG OUT. "KREEG-AH! KREEG-AH!" LIKE A BOLT FROM THE SKY TARZAN STRUCK, TAKING ONE ASSAILANT OUT OF THE FIGHT.



AS ONE OF THE MEN PREPARED TO LEAP ON TARZAN'S BACK----



---TIMARU PLUNGED FORWARD TO INTERCEPT HIM.

DODGING A SAVAGE THRUST, TIMARU NEATLY TRIPPED THE ORANG-RIMBIAN.



RIMAU LEAPED TO THE APE-MAN'S ASSISTANCE, BUT SOROS STOPPED HIM. "HOLD, RIMAU," HE GROWLED. "TARZAN NEEDS NO HELP!"

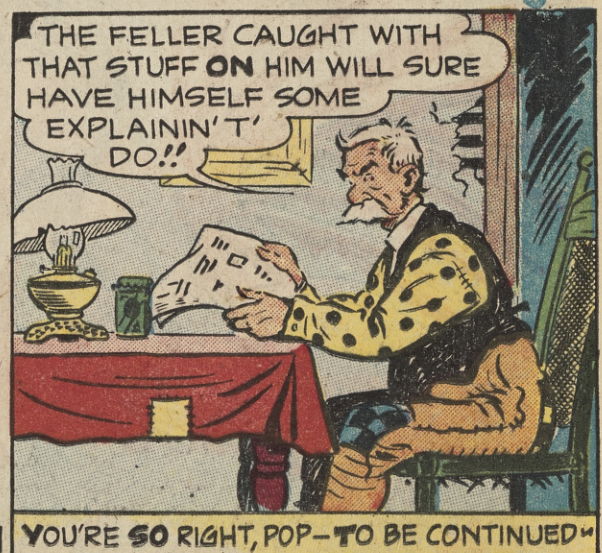
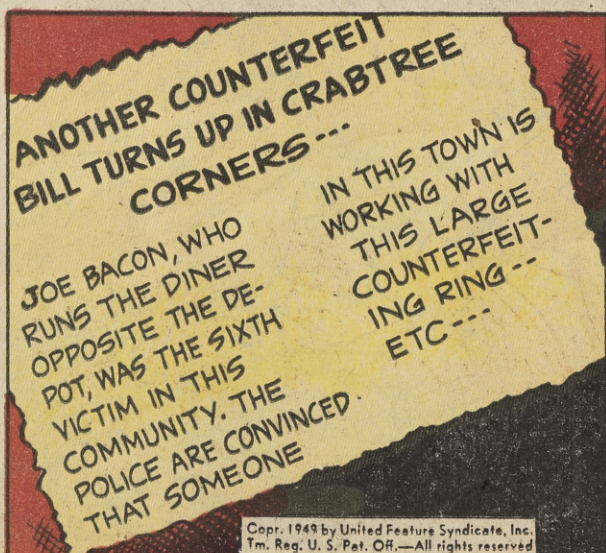
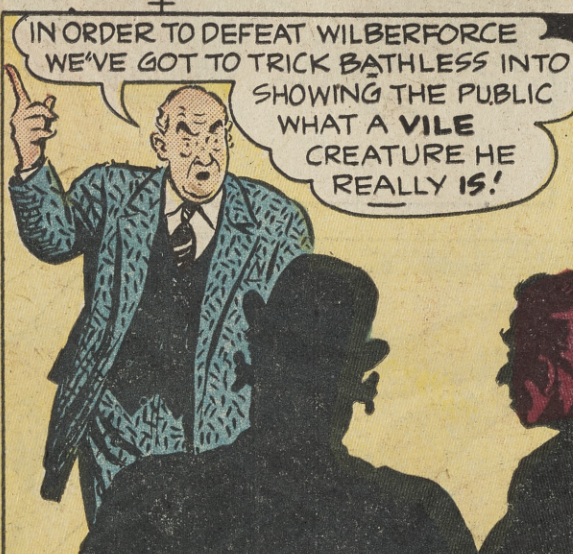
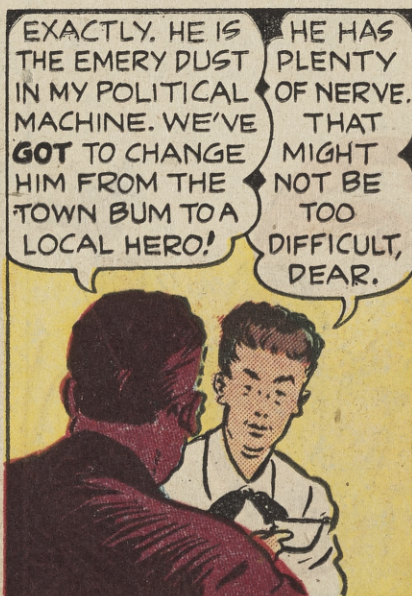
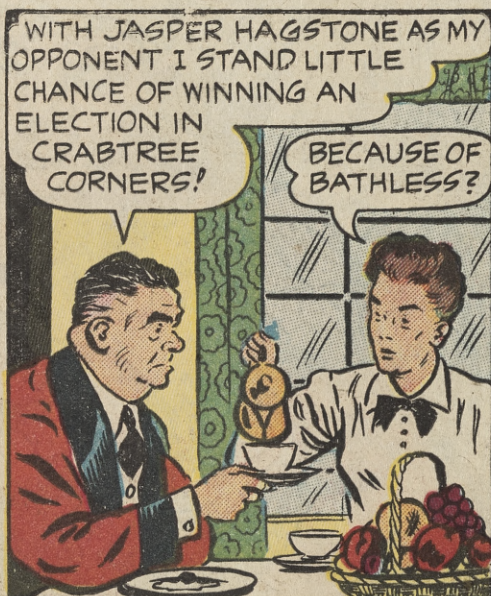
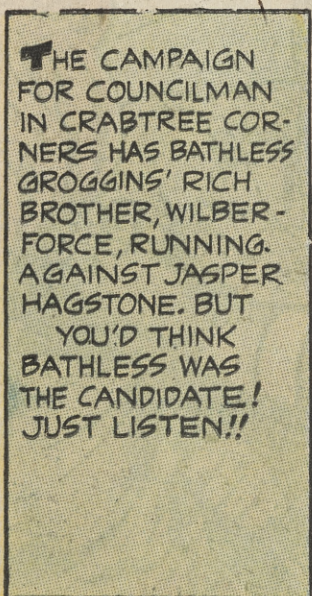
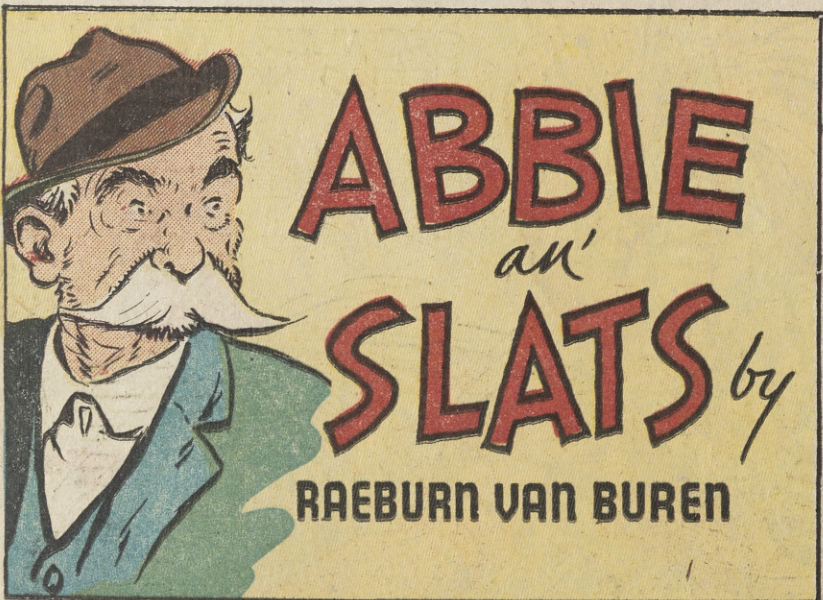
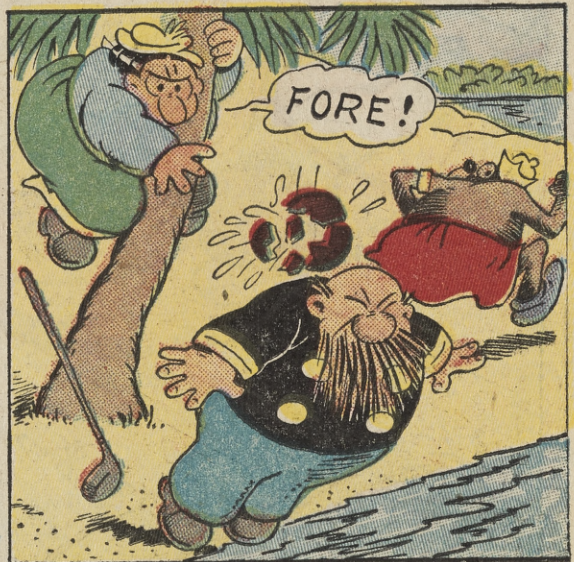
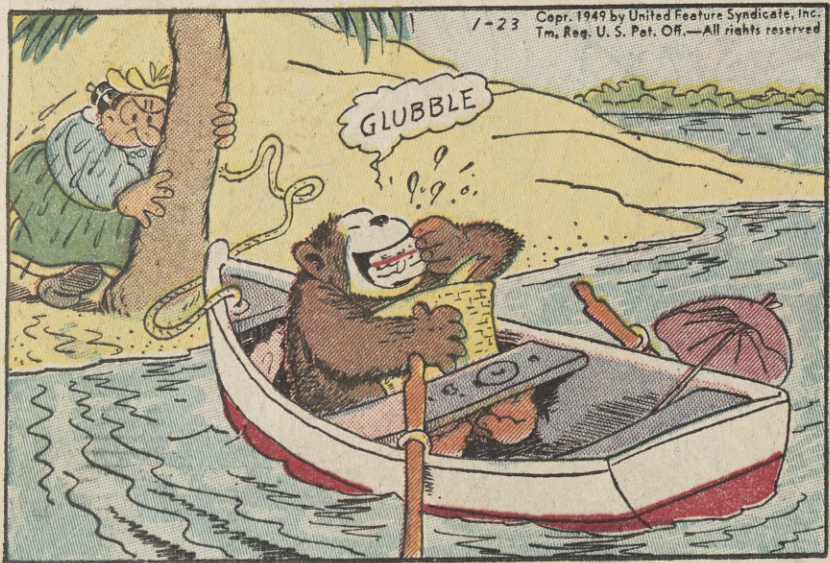
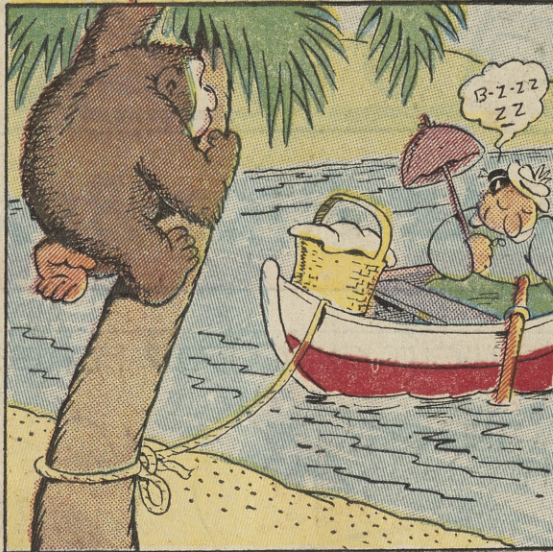
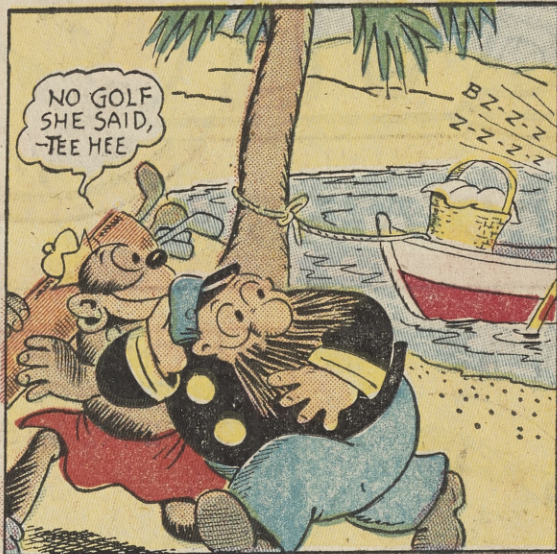
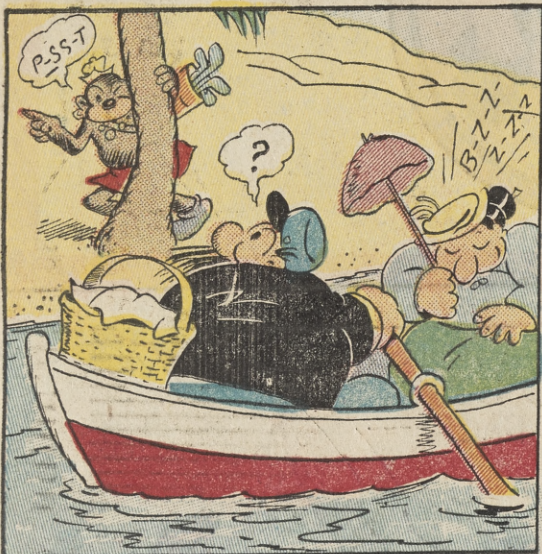
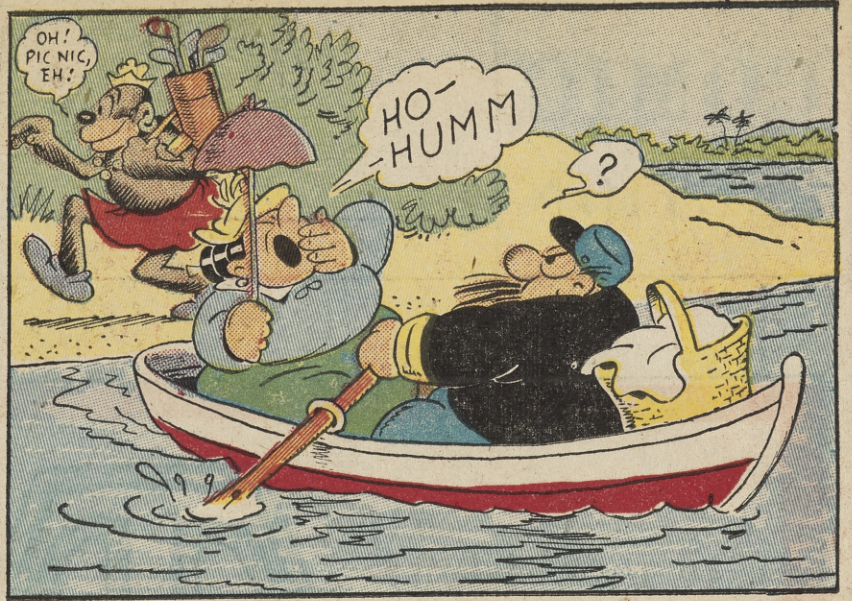
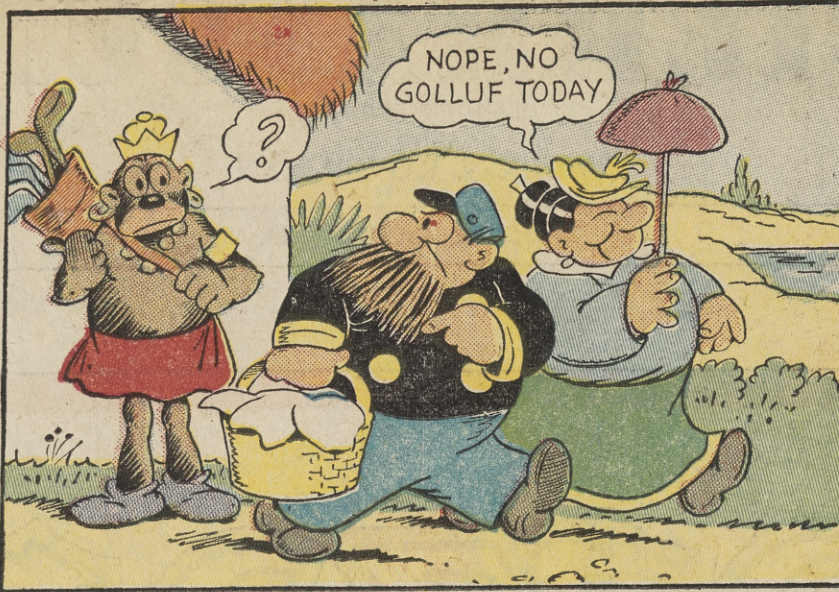
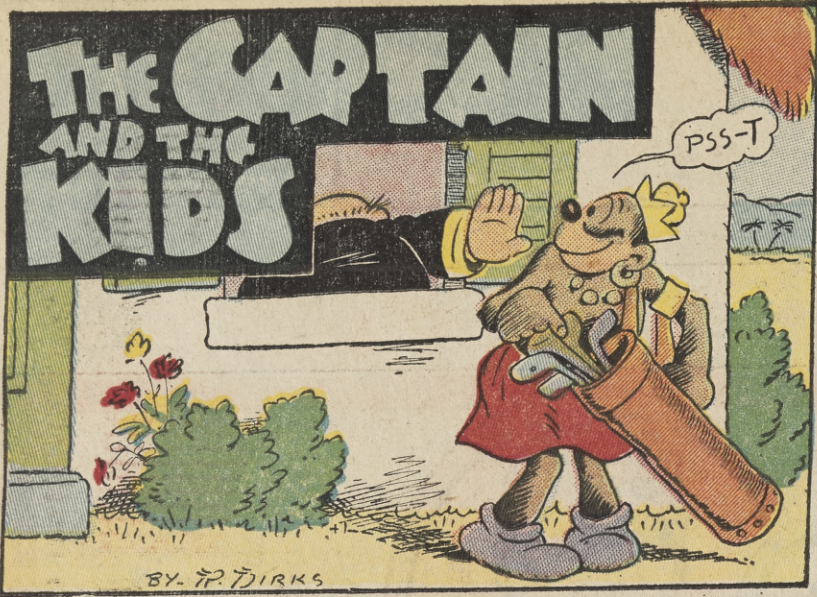


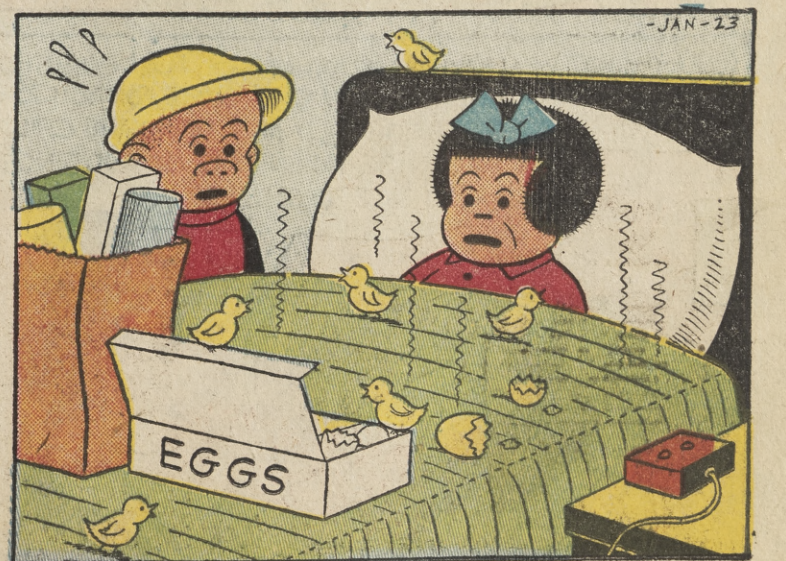
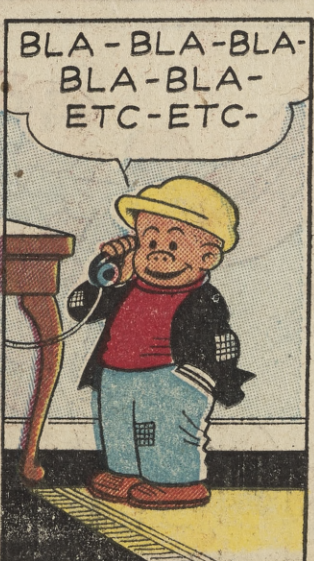
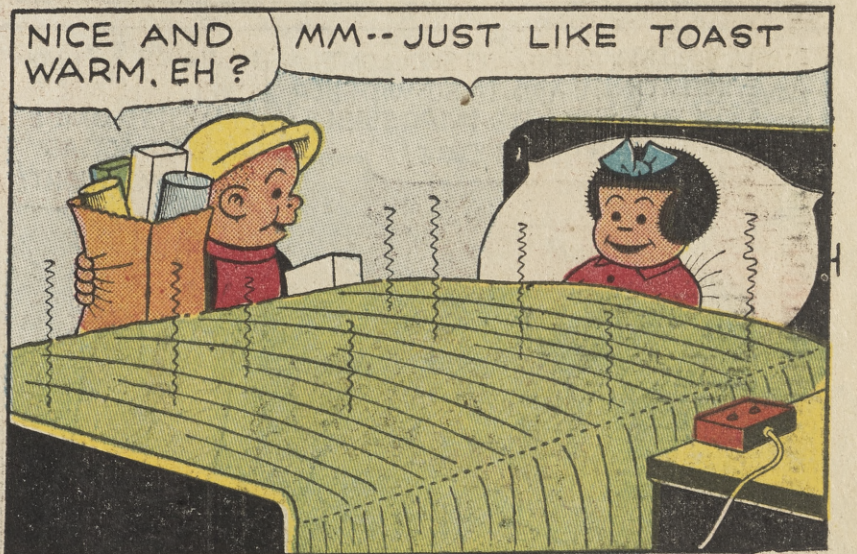
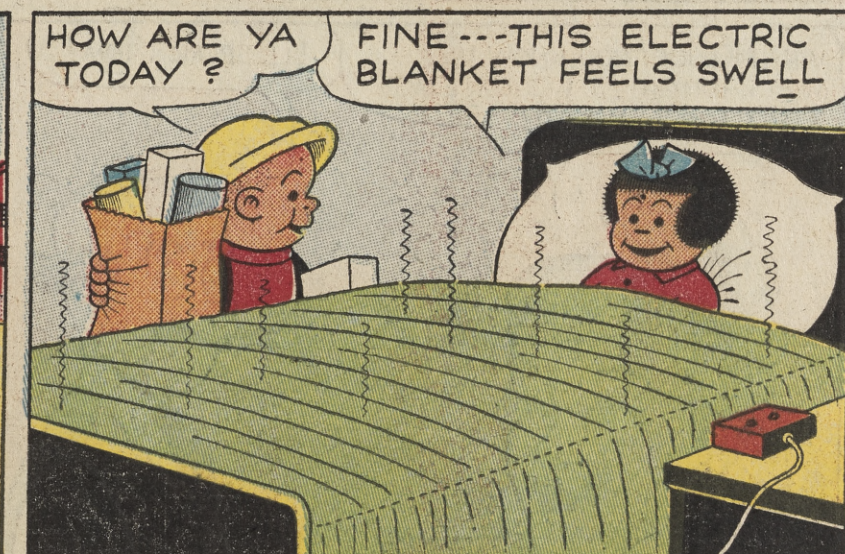
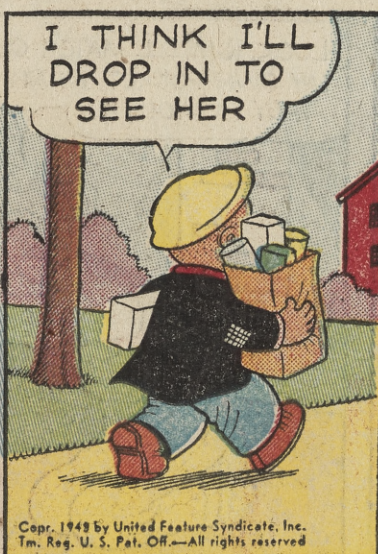
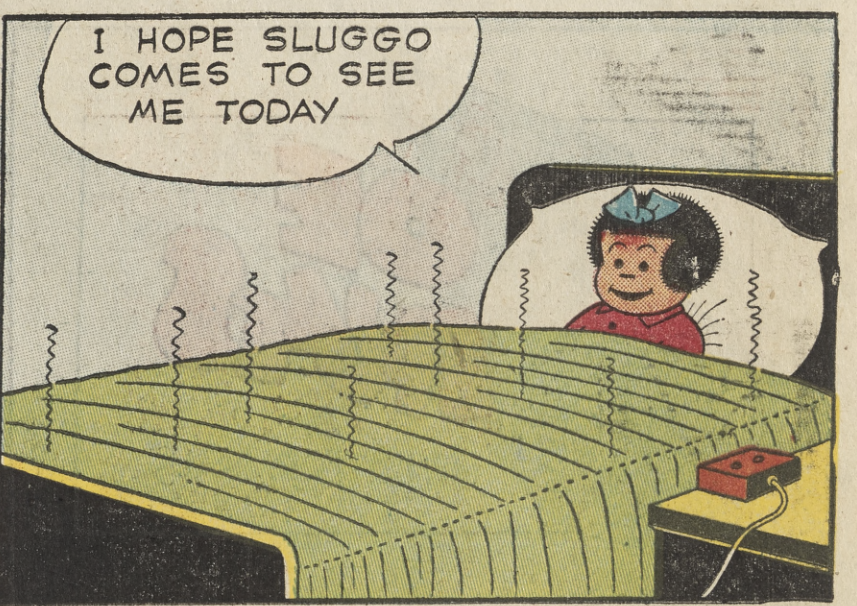
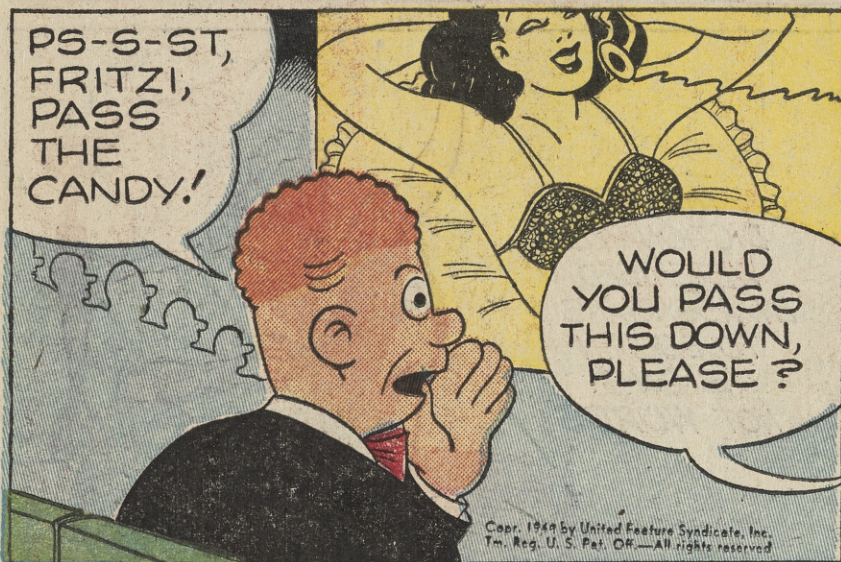
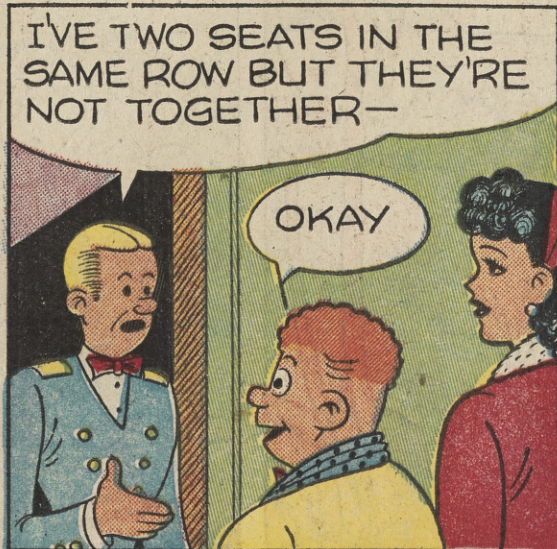
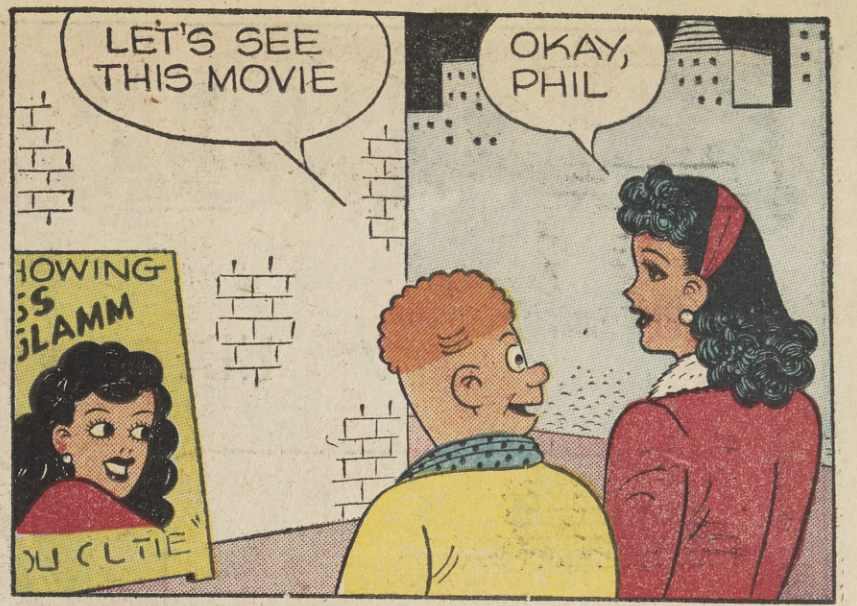
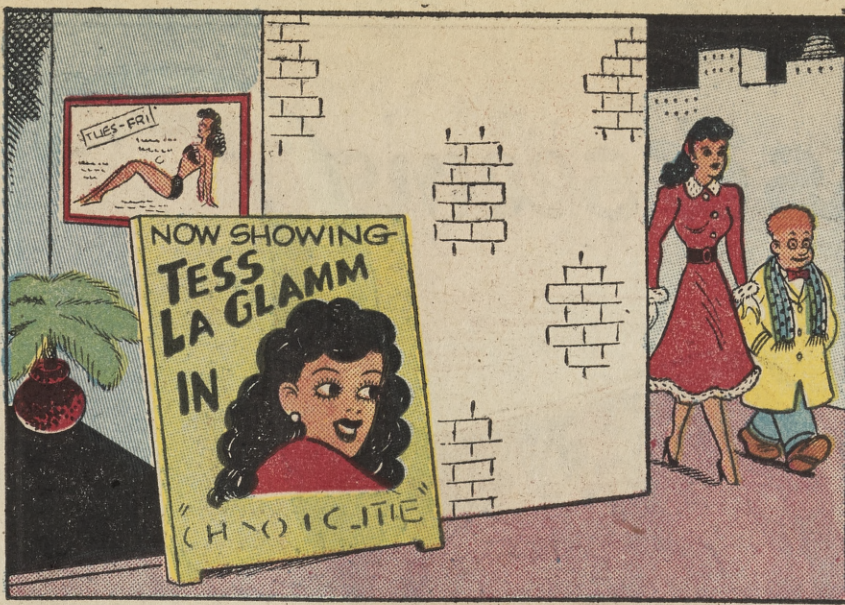
SUDDENLY TARZAN WHIRLED AND WHIPPED THE NATIVE OVER HIS SHOULDER.

HOGARTH=
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"THOUGH I AM HEAVIER AND STRONGER THAN TARZAN," SOROS CHUCKLED, "IT WAS THUS THAT HE VANQUISHED ME IN THE ARENA OF LAHT."





STRANGE as it seems

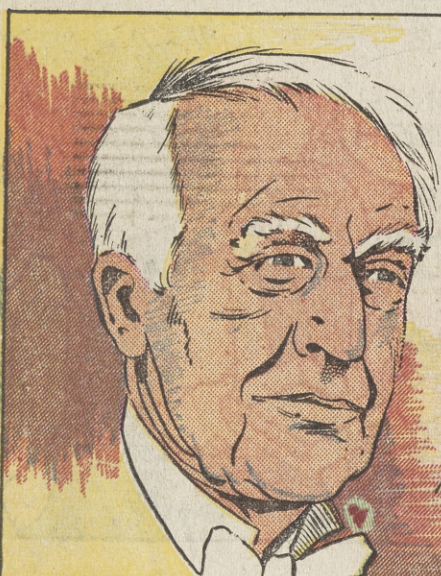
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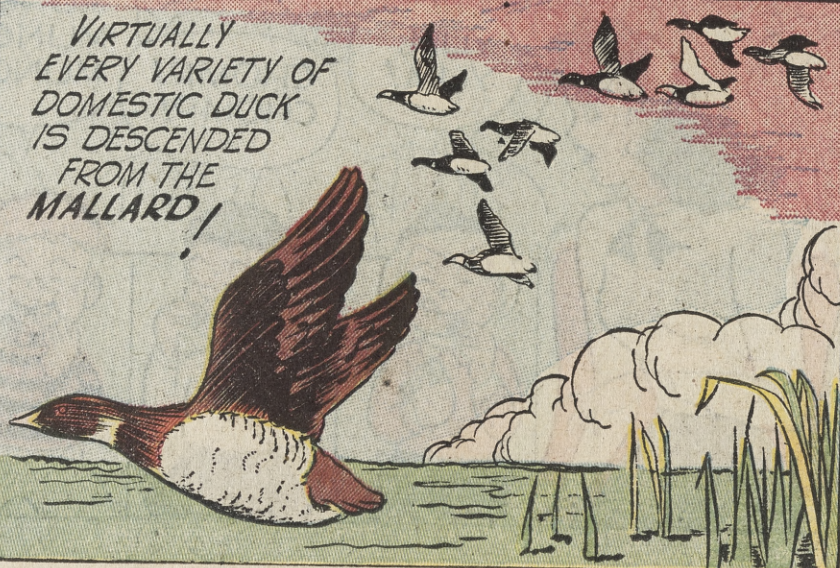
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HI, UNCLE JOE! WHERE Y' BEEN, CAROL? MRS. WARD WANTS Y' TO COME RIGHT OVER AN' SIT WITH HER KIDS THIS EVENING!



BUT, GOLLY, UNCLE JOE, YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TOLD MRS. WARD I'D SIT WITH HER KIDS THIS EVENING! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE! I'VE GOT A TREMENDOUS DATE!

HOW WAS I T'KNOW? WELL, I'LL ASK BLANCHE! MAYBE SHE CAN ACT AS SITTER T'NIGHT!



WHY, NO, JOE! YOU KNOW MY CLUB MEETS TONIGHT! I WOULDN'T MISS THAT FOR TH' WORLD!

I'LL SPEAK T'TOM!



LOOK, TOM, I'LL MATCH OUT OF MY OWN POCKET WHATEVER THEY PAY YOU!

GEE, I COULD USE THE JACK. BUT NO CAN DO TONIGHT! THIS IS SCOUT NIGHT AN' I'M TRYIN' FOR A NEW MERIT BADGE!



GOLLY, WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO?

YOU MEAN WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO! THERE'S ONLY ONE THING FOR YOU TO DO, SINCE YOU TOLD MRS. WARD THE CHILDREN WOULD BE TAKEN CARE OF AND SINCE IT'S TOO LATE TO CALL HER---



ME AN' MY BIG MOUTH!

I HOPE TH' PAYS GOOD!



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